



Reteaching

3.2 Solving Systems by Elimination

Use elimination to solve each system of equations.
Check your solution.

1. $\begin{cases} x - y = -3 \\ x + y = 5 \end{cases}$ (1, 4)

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x = 2 \\ x = 1 \\ 1 + y = 5 \\ y = 4 \end{array}$$

2. $\begin{cases} x + 3y = 6 \\ x - y = 2 \end{cases}$ (3, 1)

$$\begin{array}{r} x + 3y = 6 \\ 3x - 3y = 6 \\ \hline 4x = 12 \\ x = 3 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3 - y = 2 \\ y = 1 \end{array}$$

3. $\begin{cases} 7x - 3y = 32 \\ 2x + y = 11 \end{cases}$ (5, 1)

$$\begin{array}{r} 7x - 3y = 32 \\ 6x + 3y = 33 \\ \hline 13x = 65 \\ x = 5 \\ 2(5) + y = 11 \\ 10 + y = 11 \\ y = 1 \end{array}$$

4. $\begin{cases} x + 4y = 8 \\ -2x + 5y = 23 \end{cases}$ (-4, 3)

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 8y = 16 \\ -2x + 5y = 23 \\ \hline 13y = 39 \\ y = 3 \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} x + 4(3) = 8 \\ x + 12 = 8 \\ x = -4 \end{array}$$

5. $\begin{cases} 2x - 5y = 11 \\ -x + 3y = -7 \end{cases}$ (-2, -3)

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x - 5y = 11 \\ -2x + 6y = -14 \\ \hline y = -3 \\ -x + 3(-3) = -7 \\ -x - 9 = -7 \\ -x = 2 \\ x = -2 \end{array}$$

6. $\begin{cases} 3x - 2y = -4 \\ 4x + 3y = -5 \end{cases}$ $(-\frac{22}{17}, \frac{1}{17})$

$$\begin{array}{r} -12x + 8y = 16 \\ 12x + 9y = -15 \\ \hline 17y = 1 \\ y = \frac{1}{17} \end{array} \quad \begin{array}{r} 3x - 2(\frac{1}{17}) = -4 \\ 3x - \frac{2}{17} = -4 \\ 17(3x - \frac{2}{17}) = (-4)17 \\ 51x - 2 = -68 \\ 51x = -66 \\ \frac{51x}{51} = \frac{-66}{51} \\ x = -\frac{22}{17} \end{array}$$

$$7. \begin{cases} 3x - 4y = 7 \\ -6x + y = -7 \end{cases} \quad (1, -1)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 6x - 8y = 14 \\ -6x + y = -7 \\ \hline -7y = 7 \\ y = -1 \\ -6x - 1 = -7 \\ -6x = -6 \\ x = 1 \end{array}$$

$$8. \begin{cases} 8x + 5y = -28 \\ -3x + 2y = -5 \end{cases} \quad (-1, -4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -16x - 10y = 56 \\ -15x + 10y = -25 \\ \hline -31x = 31 \\ x = -1 \\ -3(-1) + 2y = -5 \\ 3 + 2y = -5 \\ 2y = -8 \\ y = -4 \end{array}$$

Classify each system as consistent or inconsistent, independent or dependent. If the system is consistent, find the solution.

$$9. \begin{cases} x + 8y = 13 \\ -x - 7y = -7 \end{cases} \quad \text{INCONSISTENT}$$

$$0 = 6$$

$$10. \begin{cases} 2x - y = 18 \\ 10x - 5y = 90 \end{cases} \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{CONSISTENT} \\ \text{DEPENDENT} \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -10x + 5y = -90 \\ 10x - 5y = 90 \\ \hline 0 = 0 \end{array}$$

$$11. \begin{cases} 2x + 7y = -4 \\ -x - 8y = 2 \end{cases} \quad (-2, 0)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x + 7y = -4 \\ -2x - 16y = 4 \\ \hline -9y = 0 \\ y = 0 \\ 2x + 7(0) = -4 \\ 2x = -4 \\ x = -2 \end{array}$$

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$$12. \begin{cases} x + y = 1 \\ x - 5y = -23 \end{cases} \quad (-3, 4)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x + 5y = 5 \\ x - 5y = -23 \\ \hline 6x = -18 \\ x = -3 \\ -3 + y = 1 \\ y = 4 \end{array}$$

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$$13. \begin{cases} 4x + 3y = 15 \\ 12x + 9y = 36 \end{cases} \quad \underline{\text{INCONSISTENT}}$$

$$- | 2x + 9y = 45$$

$$12x + 9y = 36$$

$$0 = -9$$

$$14. \begin{cases} 2x - 7y = -1 \\ 6x - 21y = -3 \end{cases} \quad \underline{\text{CONSISTENT}}$$

$$-6x + 21y = 3 \quad \text{DEPENDENT}$$

$$6x - 21y = -3$$

$$0 = 0$$

$$15. \begin{cases} 3x - 5y = 16 \\ -x + 4y = -10 \end{cases} \quad \underline{(2, -2)}$$

$$3x - 5y = 16$$

$$-3x + 12y = -30$$

$$7y = -14$$

$$y = -2$$

$$-x + 4(-2) = -10$$

$$-x - 8 = -10$$

$$-x = -2$$

$$x = 2$$

$$16. \begin{cases} 7x + 14y = 21 \\ -7x + 2y = 3 \end{cases} \quad \underline{\text{CONSISTENT}}$$

$$7x + 14y = 21 \quad \text{DEPENDENT}$$

$$-7x - 14y = -21$$

$$0 = 0$$



Practice

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Use elimination to solve each system of equations.

Check your solution.

1.
$$\begin{cases} -2x + 9y = -13 \\ 6x - 3y = 15 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -6x + 27y = -39 \\ 6x - 3y = 15 \\ \hline 24y = -24 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} y = -1 \\ 6x - 3(-1) = 15 \\ 6x + 3 = 15 \\ 6x = 12 \\ x = 2 \end{array}$$

4.
$$\begin{cases} 4x + y = 12 \\ 3x + \frac{1}{4}y = 9 \end{cases}$$

$$(3, 0)$$

7.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{2}{3}x - y = -2 \\ 3x + 2y = -35 \end{cases}$$

$$(-9, -4)$$

2.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{2}{3}x - 3y = \frac{1}{5} \\ 2x - 9y = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 10x - 45y = 3 \\ 5(2x - 9y) = 4 \\ 10x - 45y = 4 \\ \hline -10x + 45y = -20 \end{array}$$

$$0 = -17$$

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5.
$$\begin{cases} 5x + 9y = -7 \\ 2x + 3y = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x + 9y = -7 \\ -6x - 9y = 3 \\ \hline -x = -4 \end{array}$$

$$x = 4$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 5(4) + 9y = -7 \\ 20 + 9y = -7 \\ 9y = -27 \\ y = -3 \end{array}$$

8.
$$\begin{cases} 6x - y = 26 \\ 3x - \frac{1}{2}y = 13 \end{cases}$$

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3.
$$\begin{cases} 7y - x = 8 \\ x - y = 4 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} 6y = 12 \\ y = 2 \\ x = 6 \end{array}$$

$$(6, 2)$$

6.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}x + y = 22 \\ 2x + 4y = 11 \end{cases}$$

$$(0, 11)$$

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9.
$$\begin{cases} \frac{1}{2}x + \frac{3}{4}y = 10 \\ 2x - y = 8 \end{cases}$$

$$(8, 8)$$

$$10. \begin{cases} -4x - 9y = -13 \\ 2x + y = -7 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -2x + 18y = 26 \\ 2x + y = -7 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$19y = 19$$

$$y = 1$$

$$x = 4$$

$$\boxed{(-4, 1)}$$

$$11. \begin{cases} 2(13x + 7y = 19) \\ 7(9x - 2y = 20) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 26x + 14y = 38 \\ 63x - 14y = 140 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$89x = 178$$

$$x = 2$$

$$y = -1$$

$$\boxed{(2, -1)}$$

$$12. \begin{cases} 5x + 2y = -9 \\ y - 3x = 12 \end{cases}$$

$$\boxed{(-3, 3)}$$

$$13. \begin{cases} 11x - 4y = 19 \\ -2(3x - 2y = 7) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 11x - 4y = 19 \\ -6x + 4y = -14 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$5x = 5$$

$$x = 1$$

$$y = -2$$

$$\boxed{(1, -2)}$$

$$14. \begin{cases} -1(3x - 2y = 31) \\ 3x + 2y = -1 \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} -3x + 2y = -31 \\ 3x + 2y = -1 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$6x = 30$$

$$x = 5$$

$$4y = -32$$

$$y = -8$$

$$\boxed{(5, -8)}$$

$$15. \begin{cases} 5(3x + 5y = 4) \\ -3(5x + 7y = 6) \end{cases}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 15x + 25y = 20 \\ -15x - 21y = -18 \\ \hline \end{array}$$

$$4y = 2$$

$$y = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$3x + 5\left(\frac{1}{2}\right) = 4$$

$$3x + \frac{5}{2} = 4$$

$$3x = \frac{3}{2}$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\boxed{\left(\frac{1}{2}, \frac{1}{2}\right)}$$

Use Substitution to solve each system of linear equations.

Check your solution.

$$16. \begin{cases} y = 5x + 2 \\ y = 2x + 5 \end{cases}$$

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$$2x + 5 = 5x + 2$$

$$3 = 3x$$

$$x = 1$$

$$y = 7$$

$$\boxed{(1, 7)}$$

$$17. \begin{cases} y = 6x \\ 2x + 5y = 16 \end{cases}$$

$$2x + 5(6x) = 16$$

$$2x + 30x = 16$$

$$32x = 16$$

$$x = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$y = 3$$

$$\boxed{\left(\frac{1}{2}, 3\right)}$$

$$18. \begin{cases} 4x + y = 9 \\ 2y = -8x + 18 \end{cases}$$

$$y = -4x + 9$$

$$2(-4x + 9) = -8x + 18$$

$$-8x + 18 = -8x + 18$$

$$0 = 0$$

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Review: Systems of Equations

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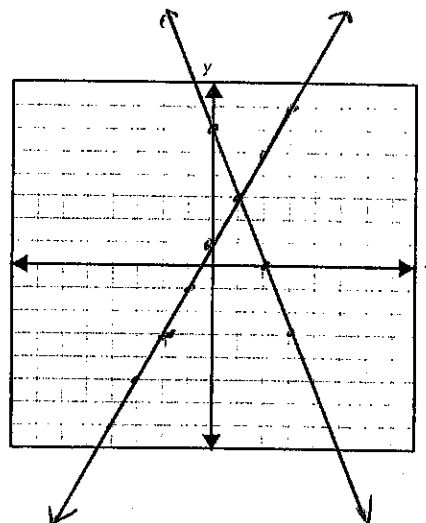
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Use the graphing method to solve.

$$1) \begin{cases} 2x - y = -1 \\ 3x + y = 6 \end{cases} \quad \begin{aligned} y &= 2x + 1 \\ y &= -3x + 6 \end{aligned}$$

$(1, 3)$



Use the substitution method.

$$2) \begin{cases} x + 2y = 7 \\ 2x - y = 4 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x = -2y + 7$$

$$2(-2y + 7) - y = 4$$

$$-4y + 14 - y = 4$$

$$-5y = -10$$

$$y = 2$$

$$x = -2(2) + 7$$

$$x = 3$$

$(3, 2)$

Use the elimination method to solve the system. Show all work.

$$3) \begin{cases} 4a - 5b = 10 \\ 2a - 5b = 0 \end{cases} \quad (5, 2)$$

$$-2(2a - 5b = 0)$$

$$4a - 5b = 10$$

$$-4a + 10b = 0$$

$$5b = 10$$

$$b = 2$$

$$a = 5$$

$$4) \begin{cases} 2b = 2a + b - 4 \\ 3a = 3b - a + 2 \end{cases} \quad (5, 6)$$

$$2(-2a + b = -4)^2$$

$$4a - 3b = 2$$

$$-4a + 2b = -8$$

$$4a - 3b = 2$$

$$-b = -6$$

$$b = 6$$

$$a = 5$$

$$5) \begin{cases} 2m+3n=6 \\ m+2n=10 \end{cases} \quad (-18, 14)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2m+3n=6 \\ -2m-4n=-20 \\ \hline -n=-14 \\ n=14 \\ m=-18 \end{array}$$

$$6) \begin{cases} 2x-y=8 \\ x-8y=4 \end{cases} \quad (4, 0)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2x-y=8 \\ -2x+16y=-8 \\ \hline 15y=0 \\ y=0 \\ x=4 \end{array}$$

$$7) \begin{cases} 3x+y=6 \\ 2x-y=-1 \end{cases} \quad (1, 3)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5x=5 \\ x=1 \\ y=3 \end{array}$$

$$8) \begin{cases} 5p+12q=13 \\ 3p+4q=3 \end{cases} \quad (-1, \frac{3}{2})$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 5p+12q=13 \\ -9p-12q=-9 \\ \hline -4p=4 \\ p=-1 \\ 3(-1)+4q=3 \\ -3+4q=3 \\ 4q=6 \\ q=\frac{3}{2} \end{array}$$

Choose your method to solve.

$$9) \begin{cases} x-3y=-5 \\ 2x-5y=-9 \end{cases} \Rightarrow x=3y-5 \quad (-2, 1)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2(3y-5)-5y=-9 \\ 6y-10-5y=-9 \\ y-10=-9 \\ y=1 \\ x=-2 \end{array}$$

$$10) \begin{cases} 2x-y=2 \\ x=\frac{2}{3}y \end{cases} \quad (4, 6)$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2(\frac{2}{3}y)-y=2 \\ 3(\frac{4}{3}y-y)=(2)3 \\ 4y-3y=6 \\ y=6 \\ x=4 \end{array}$$